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## ORCHID PLANTS

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Because of their unusual beauty and lasting qualities, many species orchids have proved themselves admirable as cut flowers. Their unique appearance appeals to discriminating people. The large flowered kinds such as Odontoglossum grande, Lycaste skinneri, Lycaste aromatica and Barkeria spectabilis make up into striking corsages while the spray orchids such as the Oncidiums provide interesting corsage backgrounds, dainty hair ornaments and graceful table decorations. These species serve well and long in the home since the blooms last for weeks as cut flowers and even for months when brought into the house on the plant.

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We are pleased to offer the following healthy, well-established and growing plants of flowering size priced according to size, vigor and flowering potentialities. All terms cash with order, sales tax extra. Plants sent out of pot, railway express collect unless otherwise ordered. For those who are just beginning this fascinating hobby of growing orchids, we suggest the purchase of plants in bud or flower for the greatest enjoyment and satisfaction. We invite your inspection and endeavor to please and satisfy.

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## ORCHID SPECIES

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## BARKERIA SPECTABILIS

Several very dainty white and pink flowers with large apron-like lips, some 2 inches across. A delightful surprise to anyone who has not seen it before. Rests during winter when water should be withheld as the leaves gradually yellow and fall off. In the spring new growth starts and flowers appear by late spring or early summer. Water well while growing and give plenty of light. In 3 and 4 inch pots, \$4.00 and \$5.00.

## BRASSAVOLA GLAUCA

Greenish white with large frilled lip about the size of a small Cattleya and very sweet smelling. Often used in crossing with Cattleyas and Laelias. Late winter and early spring flowering. In 4 and 5 inch pots, \$4.00, \$5.00 and \$7.50.

## EPIDENDRUM PENTOTIS

Several terminal white flowers 1 to 2 inches across. Very sweet smelling. Pseudobulbs are rather long and slender. Spring flowering. Mostly 4 and 5 inch pots at \$4.00 and \$5.00.

## LYCASTE AROMATICA

Many egg-yellow, single stemmed flowers of lasting quality and pleasing spicy odor. Very floriferous during winter and early spring. Makes a nice corsage flower. \$4.00, \$5.00, \$7.50 and \$10.00.

## LYCASTE SKINNERI

Large, strikingly lovely blossom on single stems, white with raspberry blush in throat, the color varying in depth. Long-lasting and very attractive for corsages. Winter and early spring. \$4.00 to \$10.00.

## ODONTOGLOSSUM BICTONIENSE

Long sprays of mottled, chestnut-brown flowers with lavender rose lips. Very free blooming through winter months. \$4.00 to \$7.50.

## ODONTOGLOSSUM GRANDE

Several large chocolate and yellow flowers 6 to 8 inches across. Often called "Baby Orchid" because of the Chinese or Dutch doll-like column. Fast becoming a favorite for corsages. Fall blooming but often can be held back for Christmas. We have a large stock of these and can offer a discount of 10% on orders of \$50.00 or more. In pots from 4 to 10 inches priced from \$4.50 to \$20.00.

## ODONTOGLOSSUM PULCHELLUM

Spikes of waxy white flowers with yellow columns and sometimes dotted with tiny red dots. Very fragrant and often called "Lily-of-the-Valley Orchid" which flower it somewhat resembles. Spring flowering and long lasting. \$3.00 to \$5.00.

## ODONTOGLOSSUM ROSSII

Plants with small pseudobulbs but proportionately large white and spotted flowers on short sprays. Winter and early spring. \$3.00 and \$4.00.

## ODONTOGLOSSUM URO-SKINNERI

Long spikes of lavender-lipped, chocolate-spotted flowers. Very floriferous and long lasting. Spring. \$4.00, \$5.00 and \$7.50.

## ONCIDIUM LEUCOCYLUM

Long sprays of lasting yellow and brown blossoms which appear at various times of the year from rather large pseudobulbs. Potted plants \$5.00 to \$10.00 and some hanging plants at \$7.50 and \$10.00.

## ONCIDIUM SPLENDIDUM

Long strong spikes of fair-sized, chocolate-barred, yellow flowers with large striking lips of clean yellow. Winter and early spring. \$4.00 to \$15.00.

## ONCIDIUM WENTWORTHIANUM

Long, many-flowered sprays of yellow and brown blossoms which come from large pseudobulbs during late spring and summer. Potted and hanging plants from \$4.00 to \$15.00.

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Because of their unusual beauty and lasting qualities, many species orchids have proved themselves admirable as gift flowers. Their unique appearance appeals to discriminating people. The large flowered kinds such as *Phalaenopsis* *lanceolata*, *lanceolata* and *lanceolata* make up into striking bouquets while the other orchids such as the *Cymbidium* provide interesting conversation. Many have ornamental and practical table decorations. These species serve well and last in the home since the blooms last for weeks on cut flowers and even for months when brought into the home on the plant.

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ORCHID SPECIES

*BARKERIA SPICATISSIMA*

Several very dainty white and pink flowers with large apron-like lips, some 2 inches across. A delightful surprise to anyone who has not seen it before. Reblooming winter when water should be withheld as the leaves gradually yellow and fall off. In the spring new growth starts and flowers appear by late spring or early summer. Water well while growing and give plenty of light. In 3 and 4 inch pots, \$4.00 and \$5.00.

*BRASSIA GLAUCO*

Greenish white with large filled lip about the size of a small Cattleya and very sweet smelling. Often used in crossing with *Cattleya* and *Laelia*. Late winter and early spring flowering. In 4 and 5 inch pots, \$4.00 and \$5.00.

*EPIDENDRUM BREVIFLORUM*

Several terminal white flowers 1 to 2 inches across. Very sweet smelling. Reblooming late winter and summer. Spring flowering. Mostly 4 and 5 inch pots at \$4.00 and \$5.00.

*LYSTEA AROMATICA*

Many egg-yellow single stemmed flowers of lasting quality and pleasing spicy odor. Very floriferous during winter and early spring. Makes a nice centerpiece flower. \$4.00, \$5.00 and \$10.00.

*LYSTEA EXIMIA*

Large, strikingly lovely blossoms on single stems, white with raspberry blush at throat, the color varying in depth. Long-lasting and very attractive for centerpiece. Winter and early spring. \$4.00 to \$10.00.

*ODONTOGLOSSUM BREVIFLORUM*

Long sprays of mottled, chestnut-brown flowers with lavender rose lips. Very free blooming through winter months. \$4.00 to \$7.50.

*ODONTOGLOSSUM CANADENSE*

Several large chocolate and yellow flowers 2 to 3 inches across. Often called "Baby Orchid" because of the Chinese or Dutch doll-like column. Fast becoming favorite for corsages. Fall blooming but often can be held back for Christmas. We have a large stock of these and can offer a discount of 10% on orders of \$20.00 or more. In pots from 4 to 10 inches priced from \$4.50 to \$20.00.

*ODONTOGLOSSUM PURPUREUM*

Spikes of many white flowers with yellow column and sometimes dotted with tiny red dots. Very fragrant and often called "Lily-of-the-Valley Orchid" which flowers at Christmas. Spring flowering and long lasting. \$4.00 and \$5.00.

*ODONTOGLOSSUM ROSEI*

Plants with small pseudobulbs but proportionately large white and spotted flowers on short sprays. Winter and early spring. \$5.00 and \$4.00.

*ODONTOGLOSSUM URO-SALICARIA*

Long sprays of lavender-floxed, chocolate-spotted flowers. Very floriferous and long lasting. Spring. \$4.00, \$5.00 and \$7.50.

*ONCHIDIA LUCIDULIFLORA*

Long sprays of lasting yellow and pink blossoms which appear at various times of the year from winter large pseudobulbs. Potted plants \$5.00 to \$10.00 and growing plants at \$7.50 and \$10.00.

*ONCHIDIA VIRENS*

Long strong spikes of light-colored, chocolate-banded, yellow flowers with large striking lips of clean yellow. Winter and early spring. \$4.00 to \$15.00.

*ONCHIDIA VERTICILLATA*

Long, many-flowered sprays of yellow and green blossoms which come from large pseudobulbs during late spring and summer. Potted and hanging plants from \$4.00 to \$15.00.



# CYMBIDIUM HYBRIDS

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These imported English hybrids of recognized quality are all fine well-established plants. They are priced very reasonably according to size and number of pseudobulbs. Since we have only a limited number of some varieties we suggest that you state alternative choices if ordering late.

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	Pot	Bulbs	Price
Amberley	5"	5	\$30.00
Beatrice superba	12	5	40.00
Brugense	4	3-4	20.00
Butterfly / Dacelo	4	3-4	30.00
Same	6	3-4	30.00
Ceres	5	2-3	20.00
Christmas Cheer roseum	8	2-3	15.00
Same	large tub	5	50.00
Doreen pale bronze	4	2-3	15.00
Same	12	6	30.00
Doreen roseum	8	5	30.00
Same	large tub	17-18	65.00
Doreen	5	4	30.00
Enchantress	5	4-5	50.00
Erica Sander	8	5	25.00
Same	14	5	25.00
Same fine variety	5	3	15.00
F.E.Dixon	6	4	20.00
Same	6	7	30.00
Isabel Sander / Seamew	6	4	40.00
Lawnacres	10	5	40.00
Louis Sander / Lyoth	4	2-3	20.00
Louis Sander / Suzette	4	3	30.00
Lutescens / Profusion	5	3-4	30.00
Magali Sander / Pauwelsii	5	3-4	30.00
Midas	4	3	30.00
Moirra Orange Queen	6	5-6	50.00
Same	8	3	20.00
Same	8	4-5	30.00
Olive	4	4	30.00
Pauwelsii	large tub	5	40.00
Same	large pot	8-9	50.00
Pres. Wilson / Pauwelsii	5	4-5	30.00
Peranique	5	4-5	30.00
Red Shank / Ceres Robin	8	4	25.00
Redwing / Ceres Robin	5	4-5	40.00
Richmond 1	large tub	8	65.00
Same 1 b pink	8	4	40.00
Same 1 c pink	5	2-3	25.00
Same 2 a	14	6	50.00
Same 2 b	5	3	25.00
Same very vigorous	10	8	60.00
Same 2 c very vigorous	10	9	65.00
Same 3 a	6	4	30.00
Same 3 b	4	3-4	30.00
Same 4	14	11	65.00
Same 5 b	5	4	40.00
Schillianum / Curlew golden glow	4	2	20.00
Same	4	3-4	25.00
Same	8	4	40.00
Schlegeli / Mrs. M.A.House	6	4-5	30.00
Schlegeli / Alexanderi	16	6	40.00
Susan	4	3	30.00
Same	8	8	50.00
Sussex	6	5-6	50.00
Suzette / Veda	5	5	50.00
Wintercheer	4	3-4	20.00

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We also have about 30 unnamed but very good varieties in pots 4 to 14 inches priced from \$4.00 to \$25.00 while they last.

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## CYPRIPEDIUM HYBRIDS

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Cypripedium Martin	3 inch pots	\$10.00
C. Nerissa	3 inch pots	\$10.00

A limited number of these fine strong plants, all flowering size.



